

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL MEMORANDUM**

**HB 520 - SB 897**

February 21, 2023

**SUMMARY OF BILL AS AMENDED (004029):** Requires each local education agency (LEA), including public adult education classes, to provide certain information on the importance water safety and swimming lessons play in saving lives to each student enrolled in a school of the LEA, or a parent of a student if the student is under 18 years of age. Applies to the 2023-24 school year and subsequent school years.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL AS AMENDED:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumption for the bill as amended:

- For elementary and secondary institutions, the proposed legislation will add water safety to the existing health education standards and can be incorporated through the Office of Coordinated School Health within the Department of Education (DOE). LEAs and DOEs will be able to accomplish the proposed requirements utilizing existing resources, without a significant increase in state or local expenditures.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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